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ORDNANCE OFFICERS
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All officers in the Ordnance Department below the rank of colonel will be required to take a course of target practice with the .45-caliber automatic pistol, under orders made public yesterday by Maj.-Gen. C. C. Williams. Attendance of officers above the rank of colonel will be optional under the orders.

"The purpose of the course," Gen. Williams said, "is to equip these officers to defend themselves on overseas duty. Many of them who were in civilian life before war was declared have not had previous training along this line."

Approximately 1,300 officers will be required to attend the course, which will be given at the Congress Heights Range of the District National Guard. The practice will take place during the hot weather before 9 o'clock in the morning and the participants will be divided into twelve companies.

PLAN FOR WOMEN IN
CHEMICAL INDUSTRY

Department of Labor Surveys Conditions at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

The Women in Industry Service of the Department of Labor has just completed a preliminary survey of the chemical industry at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

The manufacturers working on war contracts wished to introduce women in greater numbers into employments which they have not previously entered.

It was found that the matter of approving the employment of women in the chemical industry was only a part of the entire problem of the labor supply of that region. Looking ahead it is plain, declared the Women in Industry Service, that a greater and greater demand for women workers will be experienced. Accordingly, the technical experts on the committee made a quick survey of the processes in order to discover how, if possible, the industry might be made suitable for the employment of women.

Canadian "Objectors" Sentenced.

Hamilton, Ont., Aug. 11.—Ten conscientious objectors, the first to suffer under the amended military service act, have been sentenced at Camp Niagara to ten years imprisonment in Kingston penitentiary. Originally life terms had been imposed, but the authorities at Ottawa commuted the sentences.

English Women in Commons?

London, Aug. 11.—The labor party has issued a call for a convention of women of Great Britain October 10. The convention will consider the political and civil rights of women and is expected to demand the right of membership in the House of Commons for them.

SOUTHERN CONGRESS
ASKS COTTON MEN

Meetings August 12 and 13 to Be Held in Atlanta.

The Southern Commercial Congress has extended invitations to the textile manufacturers and educational interests of the Southern States to their conference to be held in Atlanta, Ga., August 12-13, to discuss an act of Congress known as the Federal vocational act. To obtain all or any part of the money provided in that bill a State must provide an amount from State or local funds equal to the sum achieved and must expend this amount of the following types of schools under public supervision and control: Day schools, part-time schools, or evening schools.

Among the speakers will be Hoke Smith, Senator from Georgia; Philip P. Claxton, Commissioner of Education; Charles A. Prosser, director, Federal Board for Vocational Education; Robert W. Taft, President, Southern Commercial Congress, and leaders in the cotton industry.

WILSON WILL ATTEND
"MASQUE OF ILLINOIS"

President Wilson has planned to attend the celebration of the Illinois centennial commission, to be held at Springfield, Ill., in October, provided official business does not prevent his keeping the engagement. It was announced by the commission yesterday. This will be the principal celebration of the Illinois centennial.

Gov. Frank O. Lowden, of Illinois, will preside at a big mass meeting in Springfield August 26. Col. Theodore Roosevelt will speak. In the evening, "The Masque of Illinois" will be produced under direction of Frederick Bruegger, pageant master.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

For the District of Columbia, Maryland and Virginia—Fair today and tomorrow; continued warm; gentle southerly winds.

GENERAL FORECAST.

Pressure is high over the Canadian maritime provinces and the North Pacific Coast and generally low in the interior. The rainfall in the last twenty-four hours has been confined to the Gulf coast, New England, the Middle Atlantic States and the Middle Mississippi Valley. The temperature has again passed the 100 mark in Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and Arkansas and is rising in New England and portions of the Middle Atlantic States.

Generally fair weather is probable in the Washington forecast district today and tomorrow. The temperature will rise slowly in Atlantic coast districts and there will be little change elsewhere.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

Midnight, 72; 2 a. m., 72; 4 a. m., 73; 6 a. m., 75; 8 a. m., 76; 10 a. m., 78; 12 noon, 82; 2 p. m., 87; 4 p. m., 87; 6 p. m., 75; 8 p. m., 73; 10 p. m., 73. Highest, 87; lowest, 73.

Relative humidity—8 a. m., 75; 2 p. m., 61; 8 p. m., 86. Rainfall (8 p. m. to 8 p. m.), .17. Hours of sunshine, 5.7. Per cent of possible sunshine, 41.

DEPARTURES.

Accumulated excess or deficiency of temperature since January 1, 1918, +70. Excess or deficiency of temperature since August 1, 1918, +61. Accumulated excess or deficiency of precipitation since January 1, 1918, -2.80. Excess or deficiency of precipitation since August 1, 1918, -1.19.

Temperature same date last year—Highest, 81; lowest, 60.

OTHER TEMPERATURES.

	Highest	Lowest	Mean
Atlanta, Ga.	88	66	77
Baltimore, Md.	80	62	71
Boston, Mass.	69	52	60
Chicago, Ill.	78	73	75
Cleveland, Ohio	72	61	66
Indianapolis, Ind.	82	69	75
Des Moines, Iowa	74	62	68
El Paso, Tex.	94	72	83
Portland, Me.	68	53	60
San Francisco, Cal.	74	62	68
Seattle, Wash.	70	58	64
St. Louis, Mo.	104	80	92
San Antonio, Tex.	100	78	89
Phoenix, Ariz.	104	80	92
Portland, Ore.	80	66	73
Salt Lake City, Utah	92	66	79
St. Paul, Minn.	82	66	74
San Francisco, Cal.	74	62	68
Tampa, Fla.	82	72	77

RULES IN NEW
HOMES OF WAR
GIRLS AN ISSUESome Think Workers Can
Govern Selves, Others
Not So Sure.

Democracy for young women war workers has become an issue here. The appointment of a nation with arbitrary powers for the government dormitories for young women war workers, now under construction here, or the installation of the self-government or honor system that has operated successfully in many large colleges, was discussed by the clerks' housing committee recently. The clerks' housing committee is co-operating with the Bureau of Housing of the Department of Labor in developing plans for the dormitories.

The discussion has aroused interest in the problem of the amount of freedom that is good for a girl alone in a large city, and has brought on many new angles. No one has yet stated that there should not be any rules governing the hour when young women should be in and the hour at which callers must leave, except some of the girls themselves.

Strict at Camp Columbia.

Miss Marjorie Day, member of the committee, stated: "I believe the time is coming when girl war workers will enlist as men do to fight and have their food, clothes and quarters regulated."

She has charge of Camp Columbia, where girl war workers voluntarily live, sleep in tents, and receive two nourishing meals a day.

"Girls who live at this camp live under military discipline and like it. All girls must be in camp and with lights out at 9:30. Anyone who wishes to stay out later must state where she is going and how late she intends to be out. This is done for her own convenience and safety."

Many young women refuse to live in a place where such rules are enforced.

"It is just like going to boarding school," they say. "They don't make rules like that where young men live, and in this day of equal rights we don't see why young women are discriminated against in this matter."

Rules Call for Matrons.

Government regulations covering all buildings erected for the use of war workers state that a matron must be employed in the dormitories for young women.

Of the thousands of young women employed here, many in parties of four and five have rented apartments and the housekeeping and expenses are divided up equally.

Many cases this works out all right, and in many others it doesn't. Very often the most domestic girl of the party finds that in time all the work has devolved upon her and unless she is very lucky or incredibly fond of work she is likely to rebel. Other causes tend to break up the housekeeping party. The neighbors sometimes object to the numerous parties and the noise.

Miss Fagin of the local Y. W. C. A., who handles rooms for girls, says there are not many complaints about the conduct of girls from women who rent rooms, but it is significant, she says, that there are many calls made for "nice quiet girls."

Mrs. Grundy Active.

Through lack of experience in being away from home, it is said that girls often act in such a manner as to have their characters misjudged. And Mrs. Grundy may be regarded as an enemy agent in this case. Reports are being spread that with the thousands of girls pouring into this city and the many camps surrounding it there is a great deal of immorality.

"These stories are untrue and inaccurate," says Col. Churchill, chief of the military branch of the general staff of the army.

"Such stories hinder government work in that they tend to prevent young women from coming here and also cause parents to withdraw their daughters from war work in Washington. They fall under the head of enemy propaganda."

Army to Control Roads.

London, Aug. 11.—The control of the main roads of England by the military is under consideration. Local authorities already are beginning to protest against the step.

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Door Delivery to Lower
the Price.

A zone system of delivering milk has been suggested at a conference of the District Food Administrator, Clarence R. Wilson, and the local milk dealers. By this plan different dealers would not traverse the same streets. Although some of the dealers favored the plan, a few who have well-established trade along certain routes opposed the idea.

Another suggestion was that all door-to-door deliveries be eliminated by having housekeepers obtain their supply from the stores in their districts.

No action will be taken by Mr. Wilson until he receives the report of a special committee now investigating the local situation. It has been called to his attention that the prices prevailing here are higher than those of most large cities, and that milk prices are included on the fair price list of the food administrators of a number of cities. Mr. Wilson is considering putting it on the Washington fair price list.

Your "TO LET" ad will reach the people who are considering the advisability of "moving."

USE OF TRUCKS
TO TRANSPORT
IN RUSH HOURSFederal Employees Have a
Plan to Relieve Street
Car Congestion.

Urging the use of military trucks because of the complete inadequacy of the local street car system for the transportation of war workers at rush hours, the National Federation of Federal Employees has sent letters to Secretary Baker and Secretary Daniels and the latter has answered that he was interested in the proposition.

The letter, signed by John Beach, acting president of the Federal Employees, is as follows:

"It has been brought to my attention that in New York and Philadelphia men in the army and navy engaged in work for their respective departments are transported to and from their places of business by motor trucks belonging to the departments."

"May I suggest that until such time as the present congestion in street car traffic in Washington is relieved, the motor trucks belonging to your department be utilized for transporting men and women in uniform to and from their places of business? It is contemplated that these trucks be used for this purpose only during the rush hours and that they run only along certain prescribed routes."

"Should this action be taken, it is pointed out that it will not only relieve the burden now placed upon the street car companies, but will insure greater punctuality in getting employees to their respective places of business, and at the same time will provide greater comfort and quicker transportation for other employees of the government who are dependent upon street car lines."

Horace White, colored,
Tries to Put Joe West
In Way of Going West

Another person named West nearly went "West" last night.

It happened in the trenches of Neale place northwest during a game of African soif, otherwise known as craps. Horace White, who, by the way, is colored, becoming peeved because he wasn't winning, puffed out a gun and took a pot shot at Joe West. Joe had sense enough to duck and took to his heels two jumps ahead of the bullet.

The police were notified to keep a look-out for White, who is said to live in Virginia avenue, between Second and Third streets southwest. Precinct No. 2 would like to see him to inquire about his target practice.

LOCAL MENTION.

Butter, 50c; lard, 30c; compound, 26c; peanut butter, 22c; large cans Booth's herring, 15c; pure pepper, 40c; choice evaporated peaches, 14c; seed-raised raisins, 10c; pink salmon, 20c; fish roe, 15c and 20c; B. & W. tuna fish, 10c; red kidney beans, 12c; can: Perfect Blend tea, 69c; Quaker matches, 25c; Star cocoa, 25c. 3328 M St. N. W. and all the J. T. D. Pyles stores.

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